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SUBJECT: ICELAND REPORTED UNWILLING TO ACCEPT MEDIAN LINE
BOUNDARY WITH NORWAY

1. NORWEGIAN PRESS REPORTS FROM GENEVA THAT ICELAND
UNWILLING TO ACCEPT MEDIAN LINE IN NEGOTIATING ITS OFF-
SHORE BOUNDARY WITH NORWAY AFTER LOS CONFERENCE IN MAY.
THE NEGOTIATIONS ARE NECESSARY FOR ESTABLISHMENT BY
ICELAND OF A 200-MILE FISHING LIMIT. ICELAND IS SAID
TO CLAIM A BIGGER SHARE OF THE AREA THAN UNDER A MEDIAN
LINE, ARGUING THAT JAN MAYEN IS UNINHABITED AND THAT
ICELANDIC NATIONAL INTERESTS IN THE AREA AREA ARE GREATER THAN
NORWAY'S BECUASE FISHING IS MORE IMPORTANT TO ICELAND.

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2. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE BEING ADVISED IF STORY
IS CORRECT AND OF ANY DEVELOPMENTS.
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